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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Prior Application:

Examiner	C. Kaufman
Art Unit	1646

Sir: This is a request for filing a ☐ Continuation ☒ Divisional

application, under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b), of pending application Serial No. 09/098,707 filed on

6/17/1998 of Richard L. Kendall, Kenneth A. Thomas, Xianzhi Mao and Andrew Tebben
(DATE) (INVENTOR)

for HUMAN RECEPTOR TYROSINE KINASE, KDR

(TITLE OF INVENTION)

1. The enclosed comprises a copy of prior application Serial No. 09/098,707, as filed on 6/17/1998. The entire disclosure of this prior application is hereby incorporated by reference.

2. The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW

FOR	NUMBER FILED		NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	FEE
Total Claims	27	-	20	7	x	\$18
Independent Claims	8	-	3	5	x	\$84
*Multiple Dependent Claims						\$280
Basic Fee (minimum amount required)						\$740
* Add this fee if application contains any multiple dependent claims, regardless of number.						\$1,206
						Total Fee

3. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 13-2755.

4. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
-- This is a ☐ continuation, ☐ division of application Serial No. (PLEASE SEE PREL. AMENDMENT),
filed _____.

5. ☐ Cancel in this application original claims: _____.

6. ☒ Preliminary amendment enclosed.

7. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449 enclosed.

8a. ☐ Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.

8b. ☐ New formal drawings are enclosed.

9a. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. _____, filed _____,
in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
(COUNTRY)

9b. ☐ The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No. _____,
filed _____.

10. ☒ The prior application is assigned to Merck & Co., Inc. Rahway, New Jersey 07065.

11. ☒ The undersigned attorney or agent has:

a. ☒ Power in the prior application as originally filed.

b. ☐ Associate power, copy enclosed.

Respectfully,



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Date: 12/18/01

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